

IN THE HIGH COURT FOR THE STATES OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA
AT CHANDIGARH

CRM-M-24291-2017

Date of decision: July 11, 2017.

Chetan Kumar

... **Petitioner**

v.

State of Punjab

... **Respondent**

CORAM: **HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE A.B. CHAUDHARI**

Present: Shri Kanwarjit Singh, Advocate for the petitioner(s).

A.B. Chaudhari, J. (Oral):

Following is the prayer in the petition:-

“Petition under Section 482 Cr.P.C. for quashing the proclaimed offender proceedings (Annexure P-1) initiated against the petitioner in the case FIR No.11 dated 12.1.2016 under Sections 406, 420, 467, 468, 471 IPC and Section 24 of Immigration Act 1983 registered at Police Station Mukerian in the interest of justice.”

This Court has rejected the anticipatory bail plea of the petitioner in CRM-M-15792-2017. In my opinion, since the Learned counsel for the petitioner has made a statement on instructions from the petitioner that the petitioner would like to appear before the trial court but the proclaimed offender order would come in his way. In my opinion, since the petitioner wants to apply for regular bail, there is no point in continuing the PO order (Annexure P-1). In that view of the matter, the impugned order (Annexure P-1) is quashed and set aside.

Liberty is reserved in favour of the petitioner to apply for

regular bail before the trial court who shall consider the bail plea on its own merits.

July 11, 2017.
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[**A.B. Chaudhari**]
Judge

Whether speaking/reasoned	Yes/No
Whether reportable	Yes/No